

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MIZUKI MURAMATSU) : Examiner: Peter L. Cheng
Application No.: 10/773,422) : Art Unit: 2625
Filed: February 9, 2004) : Conf. No.: 6581
For: COLOR PRINTER)
AND CONTROL) :
METHOD THEREOF) June 3, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also attached, together with a copy of an Office Action issued on May 23, 2008, in the Japanese counterpart of the present application, in which the listed references were cited.

The concise explanation of relevance for the non-English documents is provided in the English abstracts attached to those documents.

Each of the documents cited in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any foreign counterpart of this application within the three months immediately preceding the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Accordingly, no fee is believed to be due; any amount that is nonetheless considered due should be charged, and any overpayment credited, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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